

PATENT APPLICATION

HE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Kenichi NUMATA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2178

Application No.: 10/014,661

Examiner:

K. STORK

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AMENDMENT FILED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the August 10, 2005 Office Action, October 6, 2005 personal interview, and October 26, 2005 Advisory Action, the period for reply being effectively extended to December 12, 2005 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time and prosecution being reopened by the attached Request for Continued Examination, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.